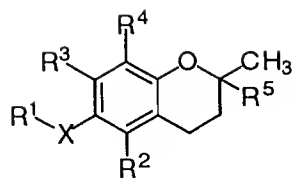


Compound	R ¹	R ²	R ³
Alpha (α)	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃
Beta (β)	CH ₃	H	CH ₃
Gamma (γ)	H	CH ₃	CH ₃
Delta (δ)	H	H	CH ₃

Fig. 1



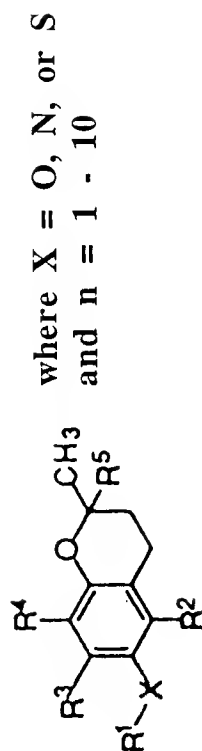
Compound	R ¹	R ²	R ³	R ⁴	R ⁵
1	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
2	(CH ₂) ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
3	(CH ₂) ₃ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
4	(CH ₂) ₄ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
5	(CH ₂) ₅ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
6	(CH ₂) ₇ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
7	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	H	CH ₃	phytyl
8	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	H	CH ₃	phytyl
9	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	H	H	CH ₃	phytyl
10	CH ₂ CONH ₂	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
11	CH ₂ CO ₂ CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
12	CH ₂ CON(CH ₂ CO ₂ H) ₂	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
13	CH ₂ CH ₂ OH	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
14	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃
15	RS CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl

Fig. 2A

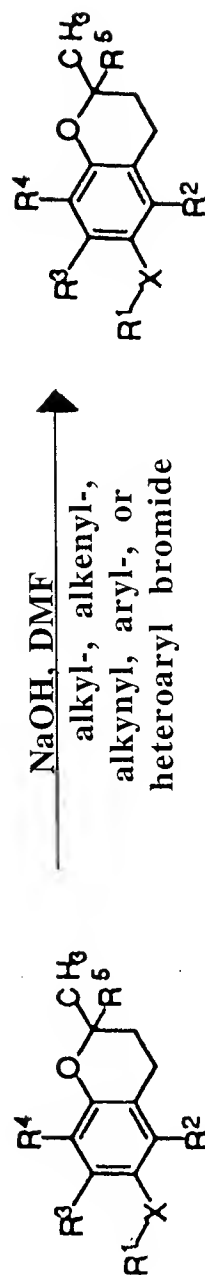
Compound	R ¹	R ²	R ³	R ⁴	R ⁵
16	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	COOH
17	R/RS CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
18	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	isoprenyl
19	NH ₃ Cl	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
20	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
21	OSO ₃ NHET ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
22	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
23	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
24	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
25	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	phytyl
26	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	other
27	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	other
28	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	ester
29	CH ₂ CO ₂ H	CH ₃	CH ₃	CH ₃	ester



Fig. 2B



$R^1 = \text{alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, and heteroaryl.}$



$R^1 = \text{alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, and heteroaryl carboxylic acids or carboxylates.}$

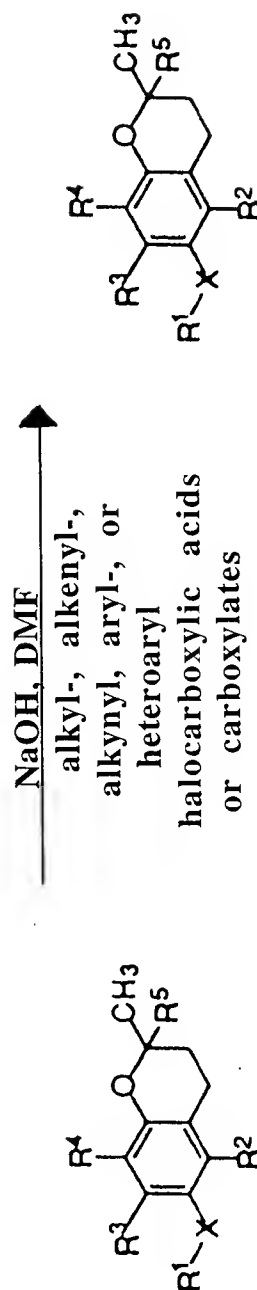
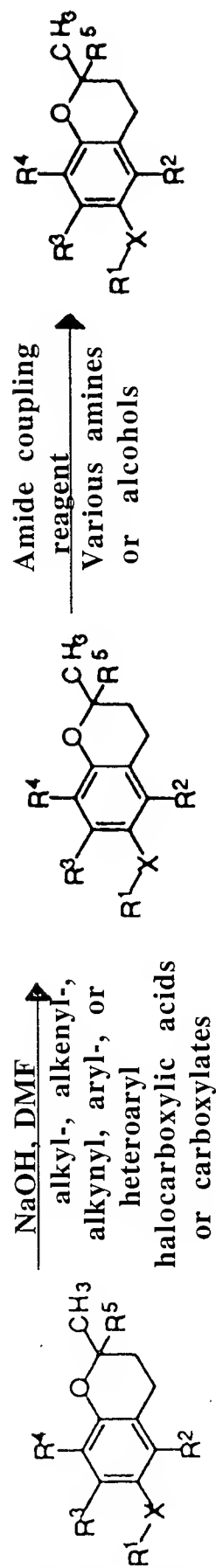


Fig. 3A

R^1 = alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, and heteroaryl carboxamides and esters



R^1 = alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, and heteroaryl thioamides, thioesters and thioacids.

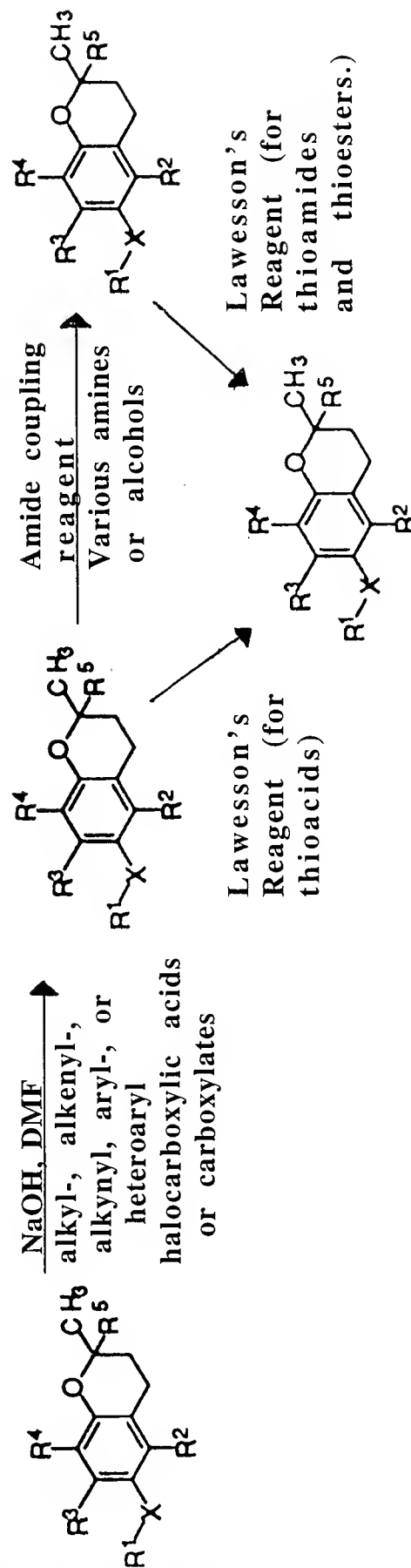


Fig. 3B

$$\begin{array}{c}
 \text{R}^4 \\
 | \\
 \text{C}_6\text{H}_2 \\
 | \\
 \text{R}^3 \quad \text{R}^2 \\
 | \quad | \\
 \text{C} = \text{C} \\
 | \quad | \\
 \text{R}^1 - \text{X} \quad \text{R}^5 - \text{CH}_3
 \end{array}
 \xrightarrow[\text{Et}_3\text{N}]{\text{1) Carboxyl activation, 2) Various thiols,}}
 \begin{array}{c}
 \text{R}^4 \\
 | \\
 \text{C}_6\text{H}_2 \\
 | \\
 \text{R}^3 \quad \text{R}^2 \\
 | \quad | \\
 \text{C} = \text{C} \\
 | \quad | \\
 \text{R}^1 - \text{X} \quad \text{R}^5 - \text{CH}_3
 \end{array}$$

R¹ = saccharides or alkyloxy-linked saccharides

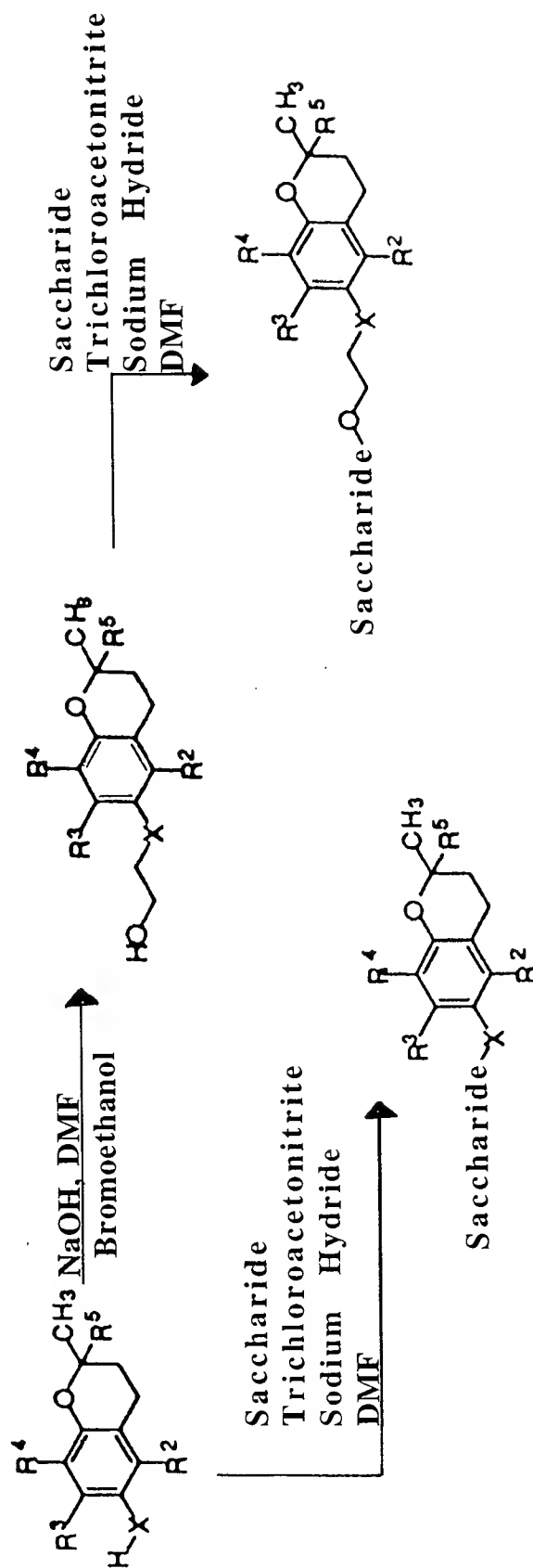
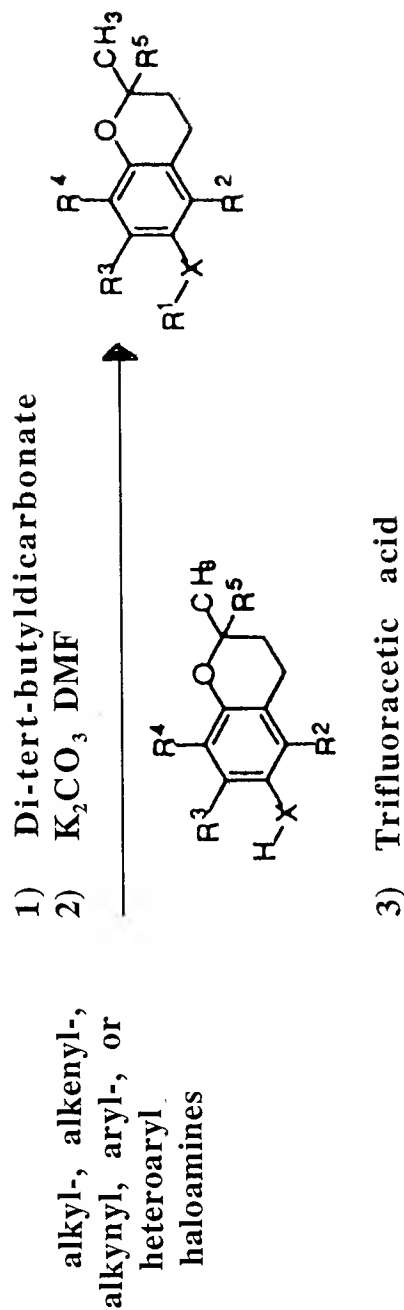


Fig. 3C

R^1 = alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, and heteroaryl amines.



R^1 = alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, and heteroaryl carboxamides.

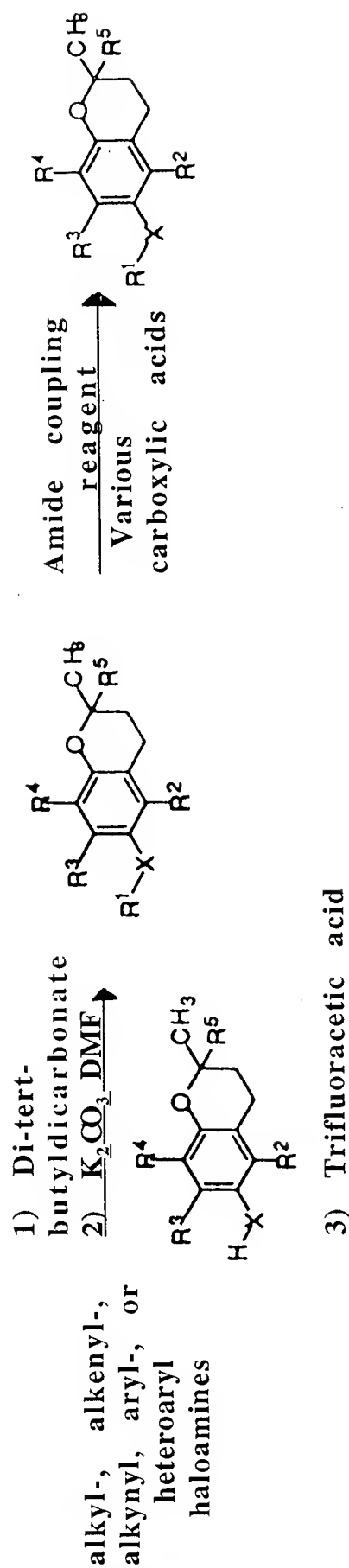
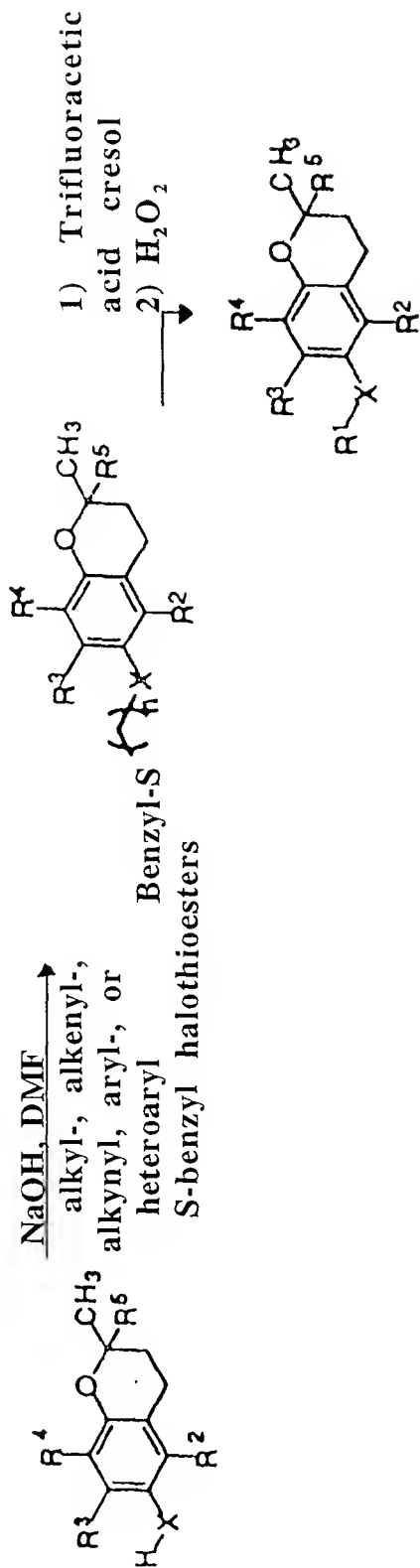


Fig. 3D

R^1 = alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, and heteroaryl sulfonates.



R^1 = alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, and heteroaryl sulfates.

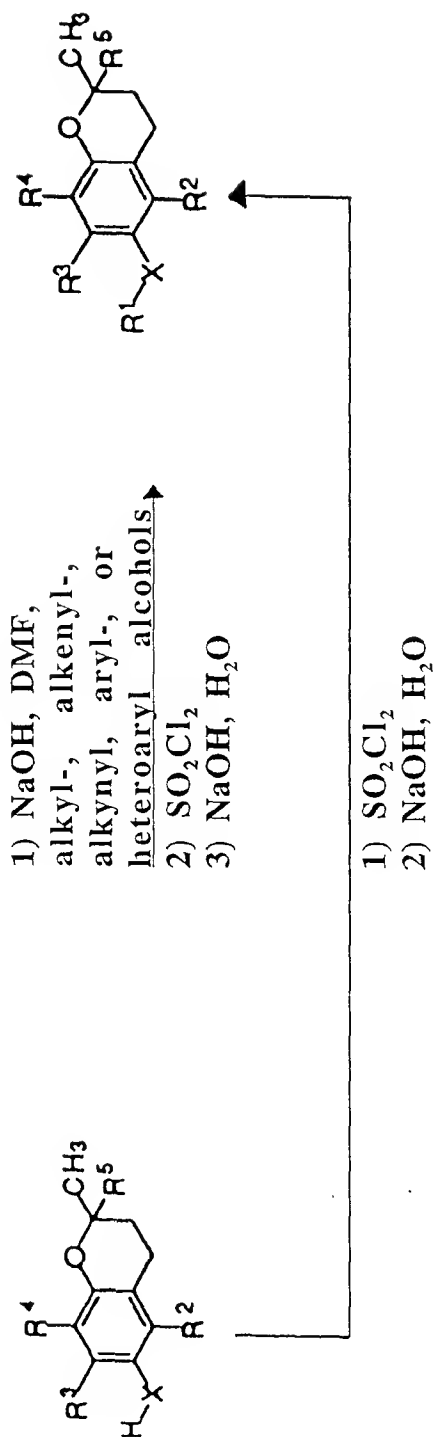
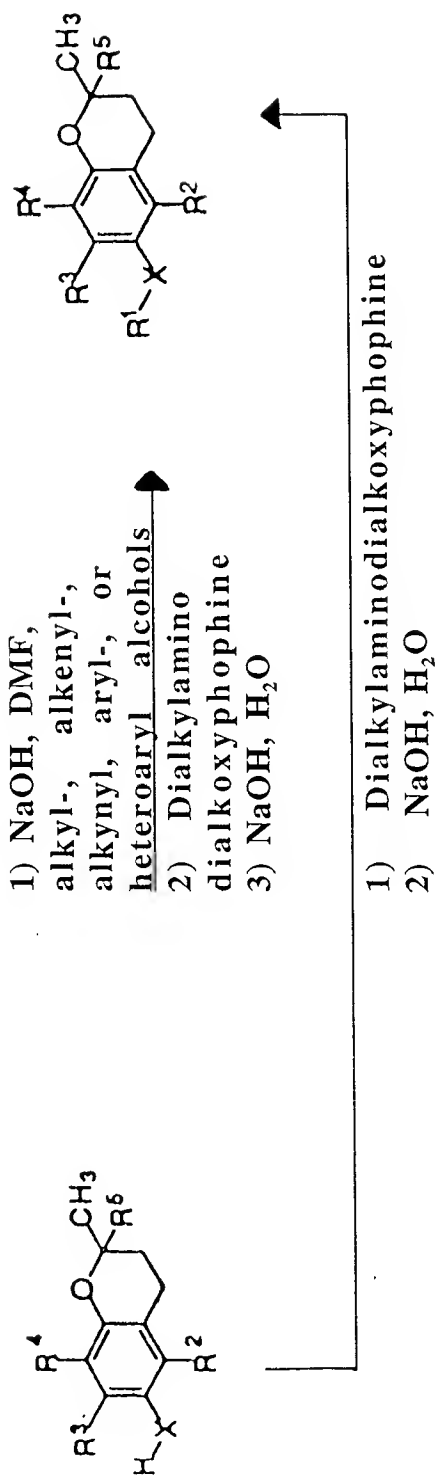


Fig. 3E

R^1 = alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, and heteroaryl phosphates.



R^1 = alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, and heteroaryl alcohols, ethers, and nitrites.

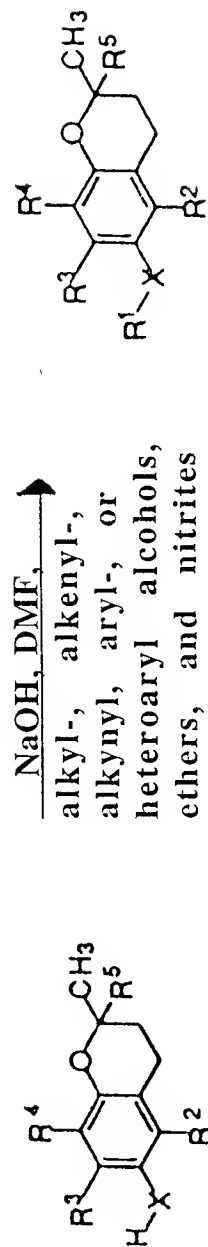
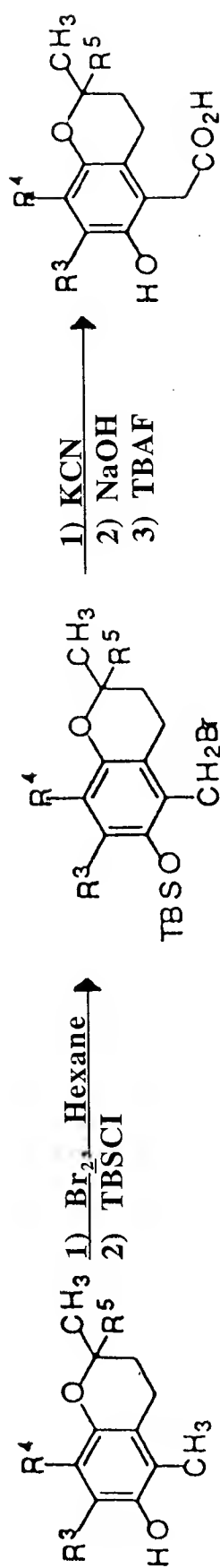


Fig. 3F

R^2 = benzyl carboxylic acid or carboxylate.



R^2 = benzyl carboxamides or esters.

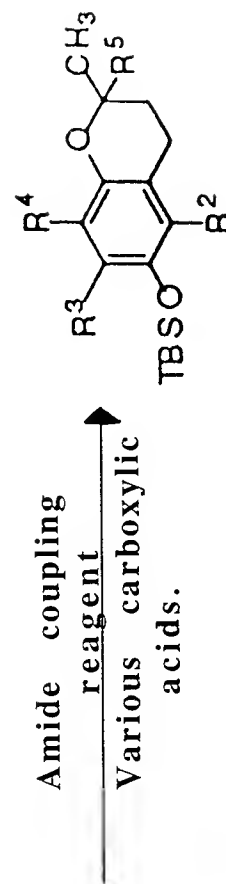
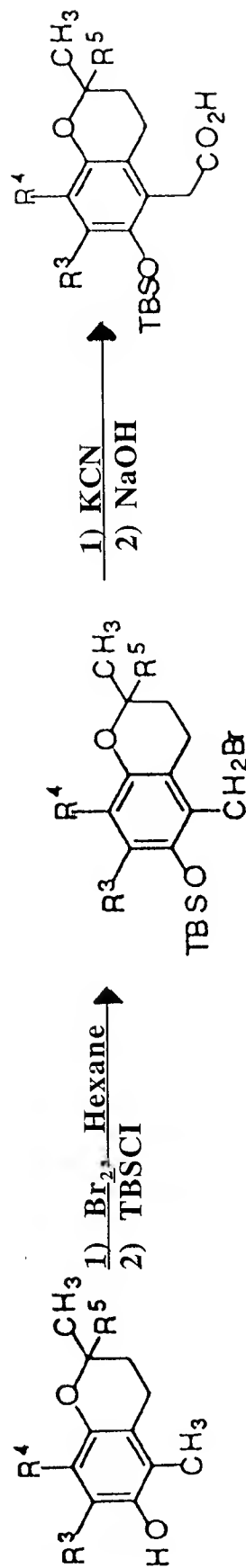
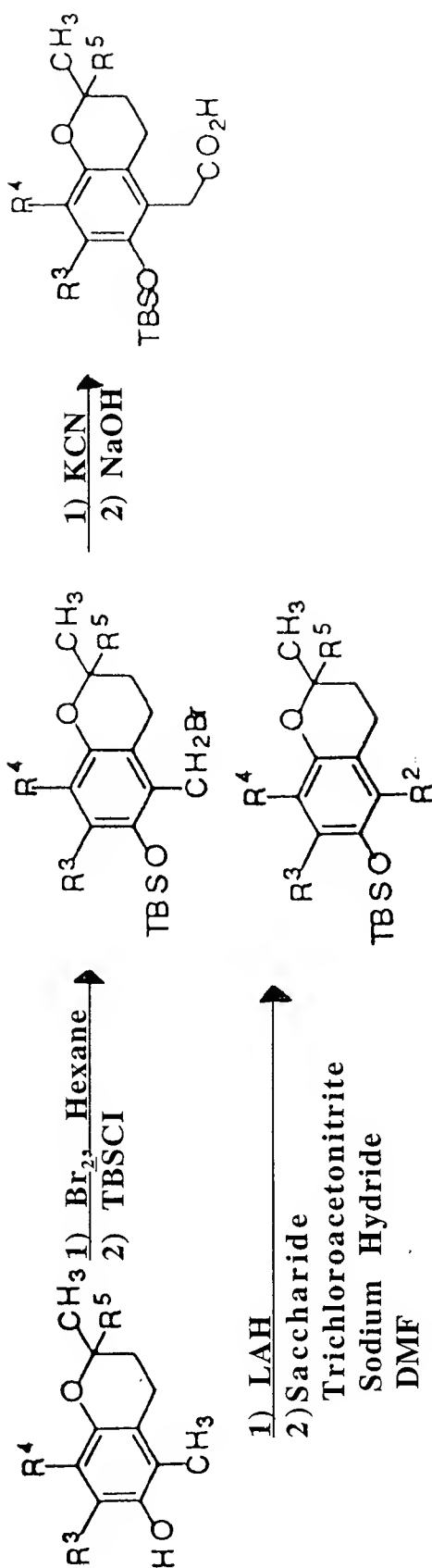


Fig. 4A

R^2 = saccharides.



R^2 = amine

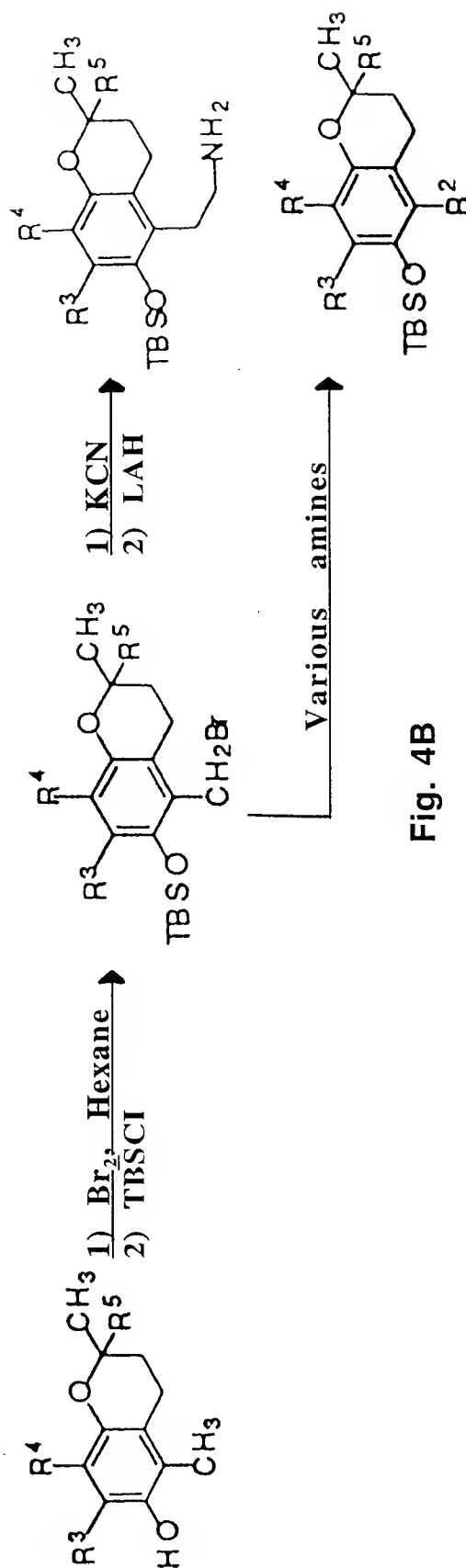
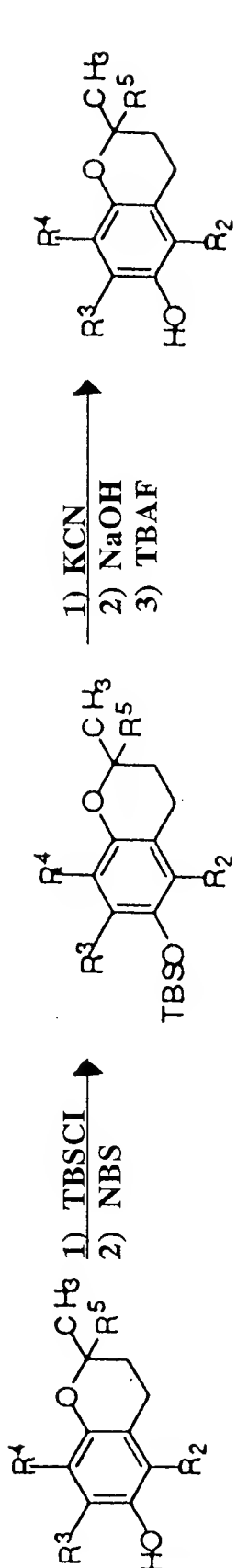


Fig. 4B

R^3, R^4 = benzyl carboxylic acid or carboxylate.



R^3, R^4 = benzyl carboxamides or esters.

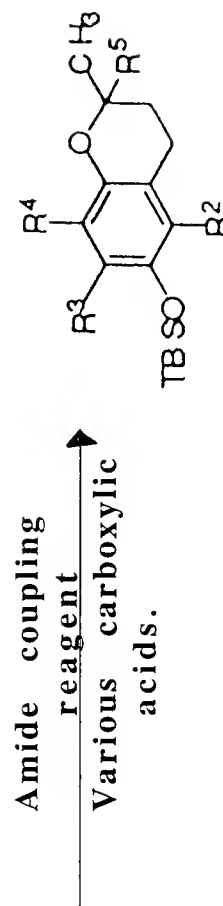
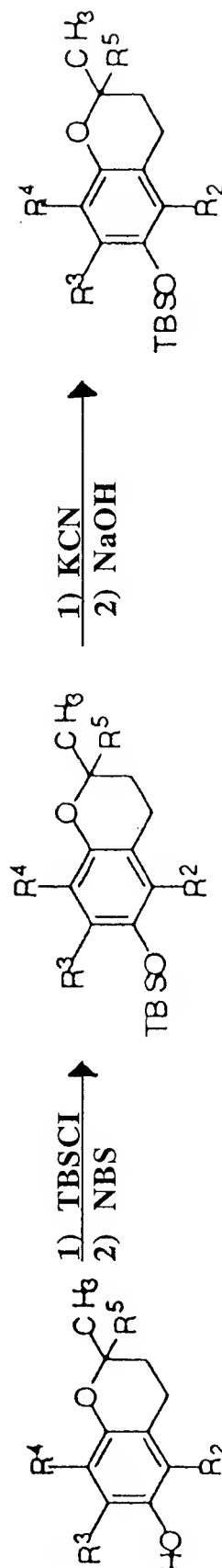


Fig. 5A

$R^3, R^4 = \text{saccharides.}$

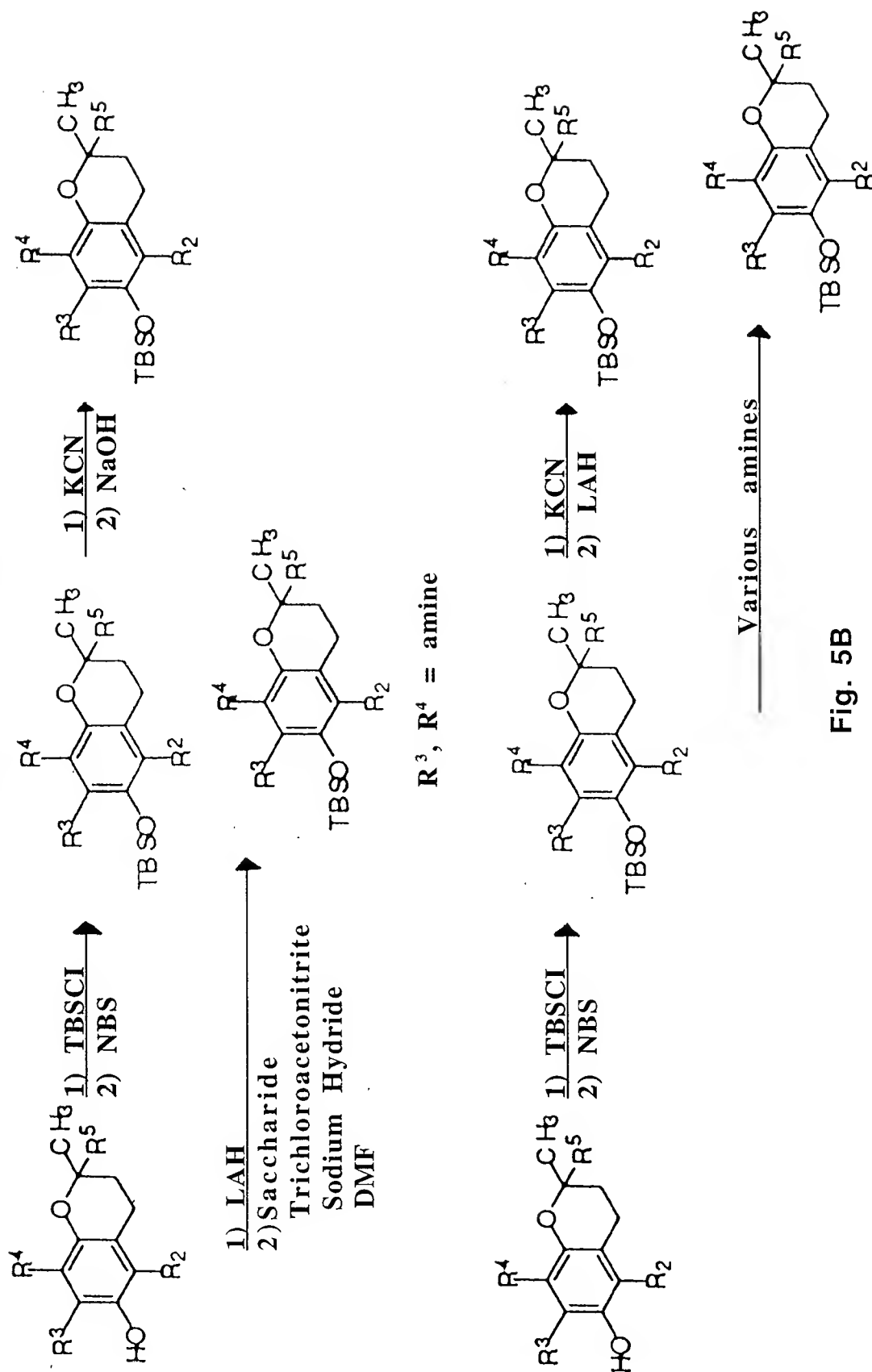
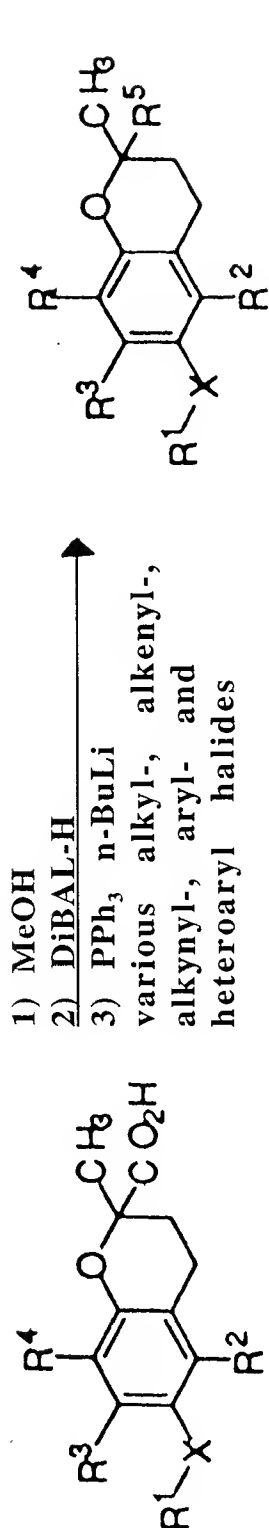


Fig. 5B

R^5 = alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, and heteroaryl.



R^5 = alkyl, alkenyl, alkynyl, aryl, and heteroaryl amides and esters.

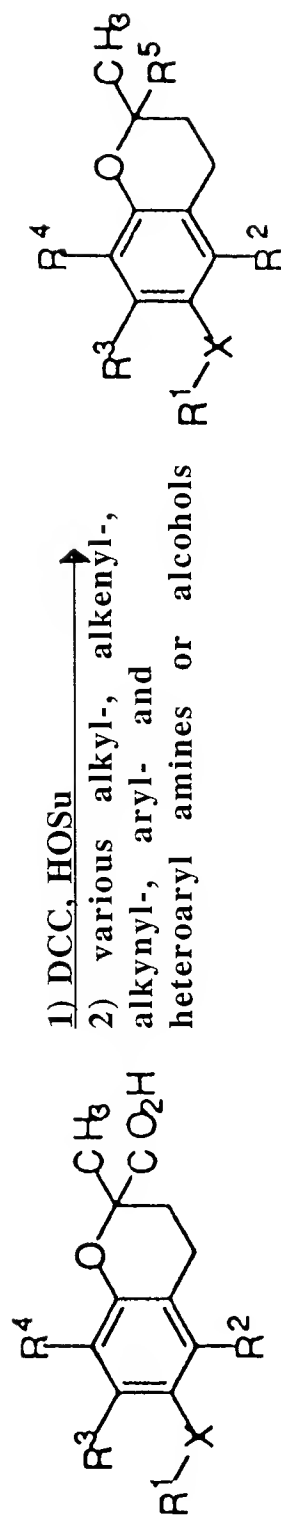


Fig. 6

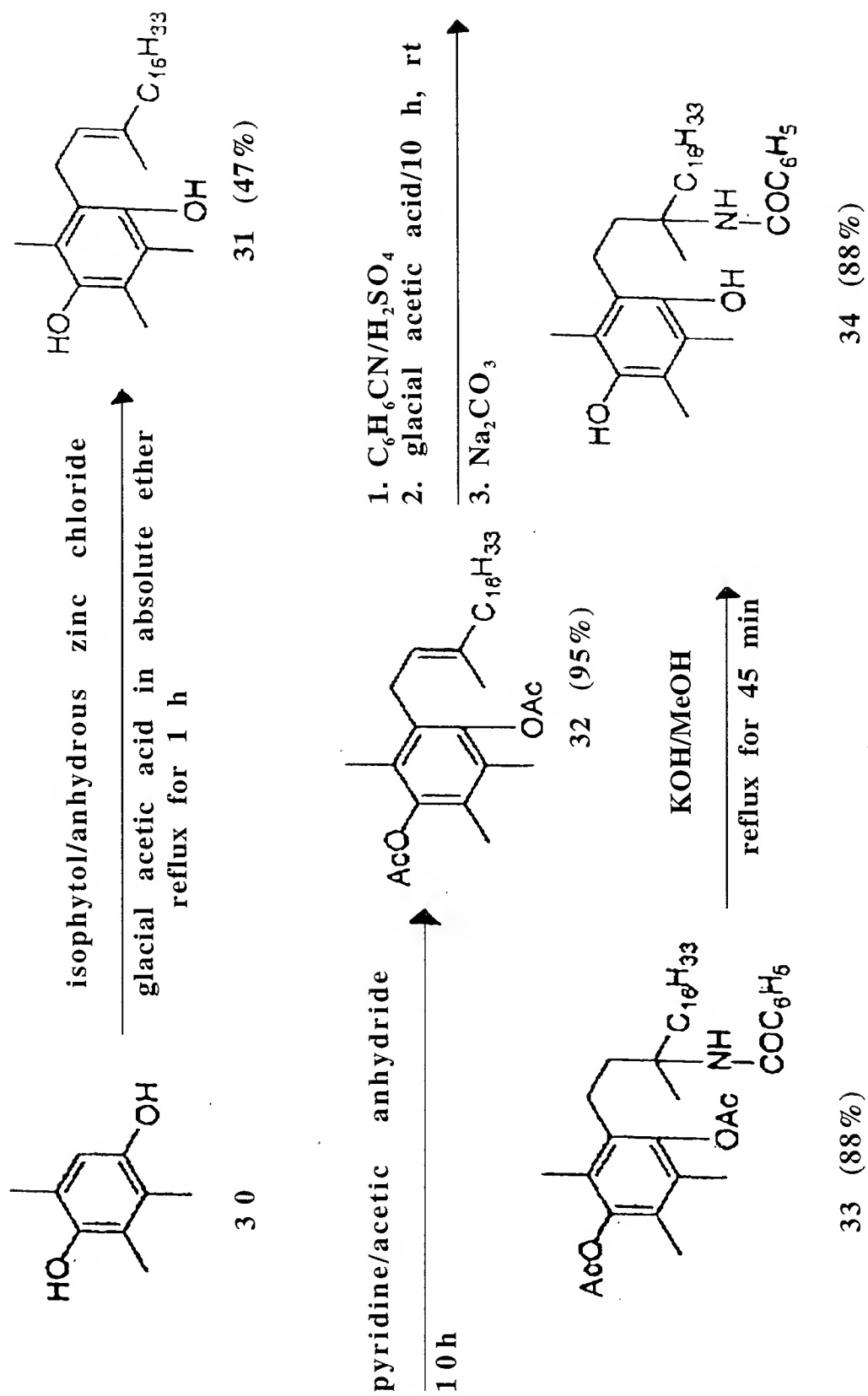


Fig. 7A

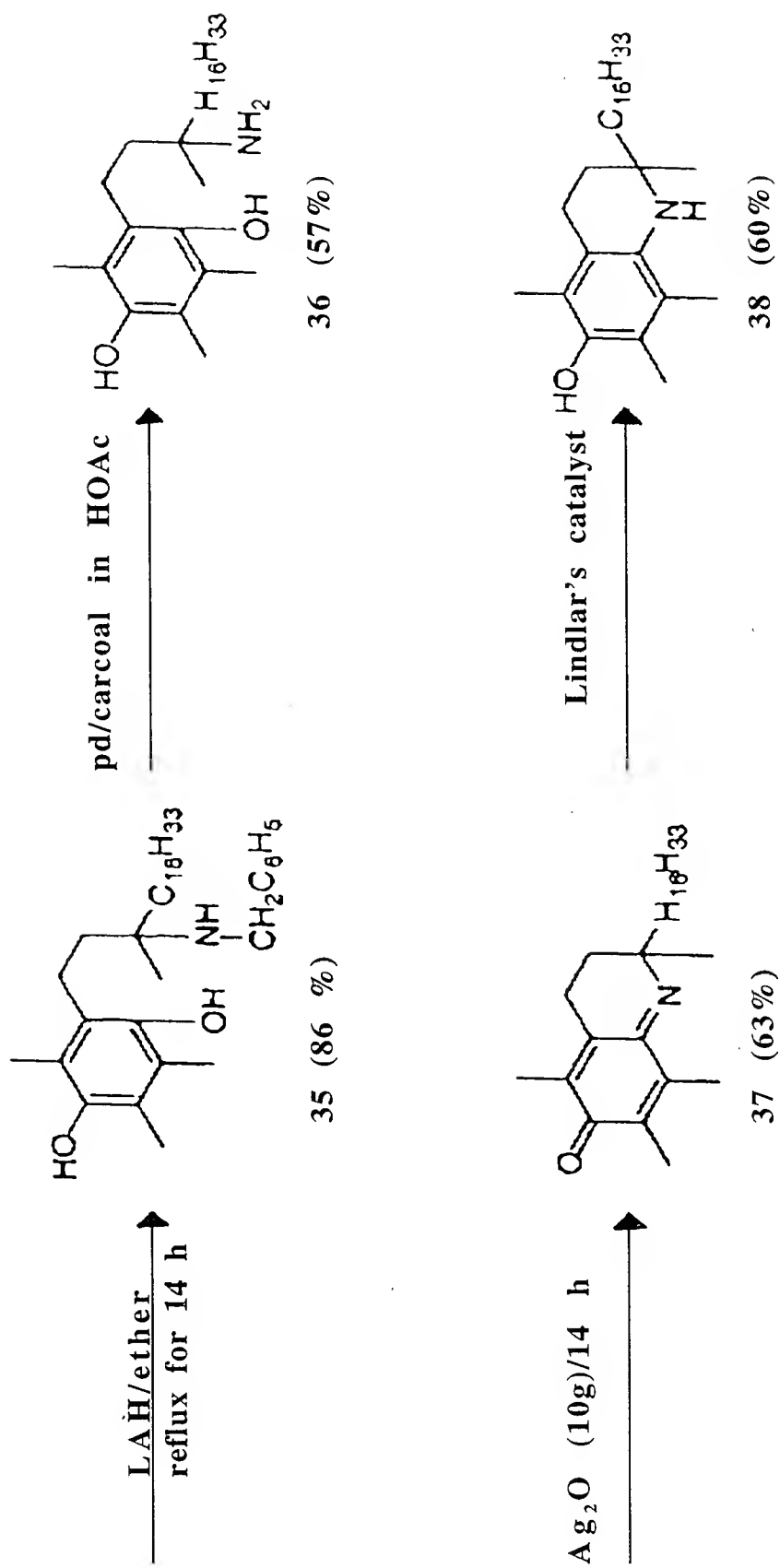


Fig. 7B

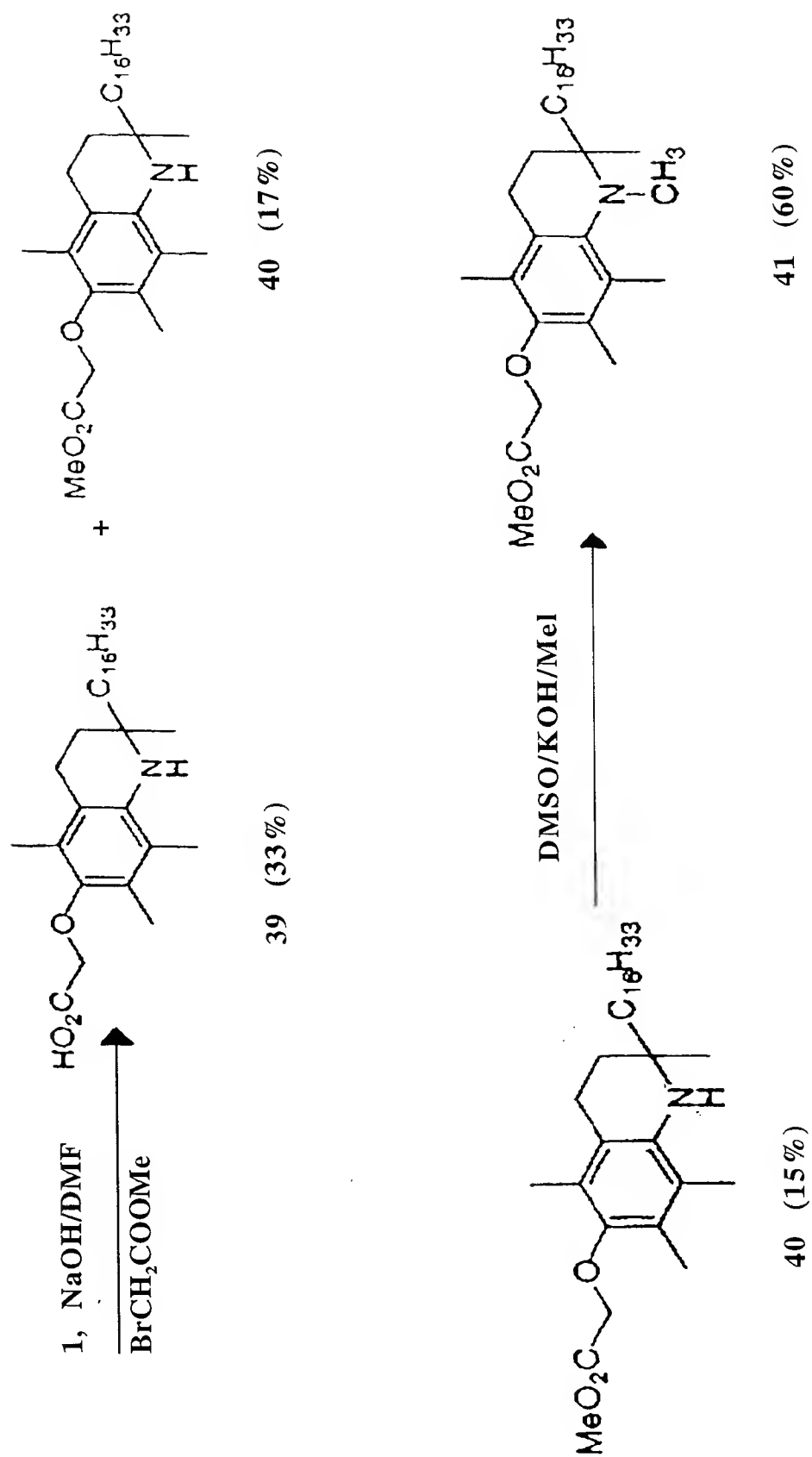


Fig. 7C

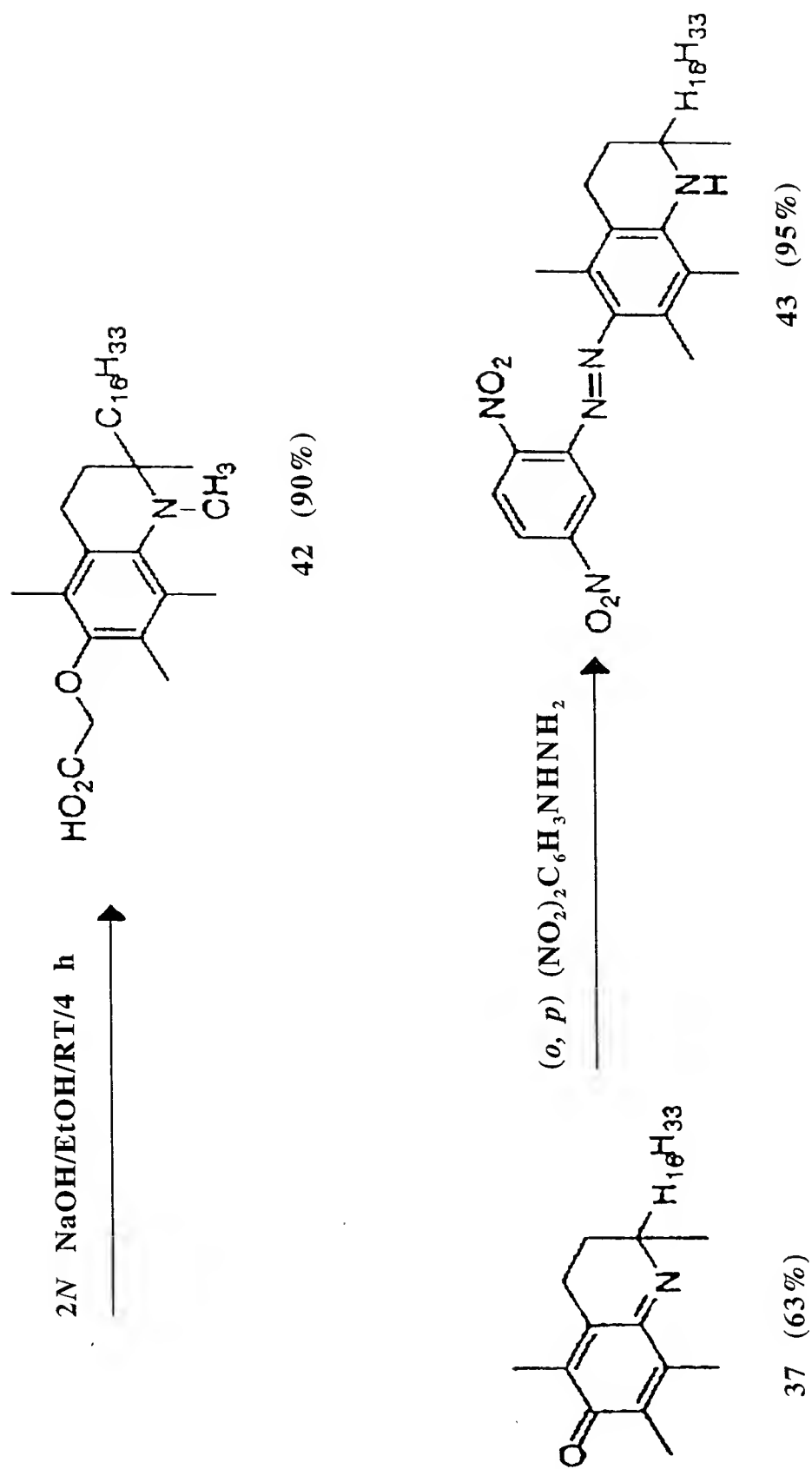
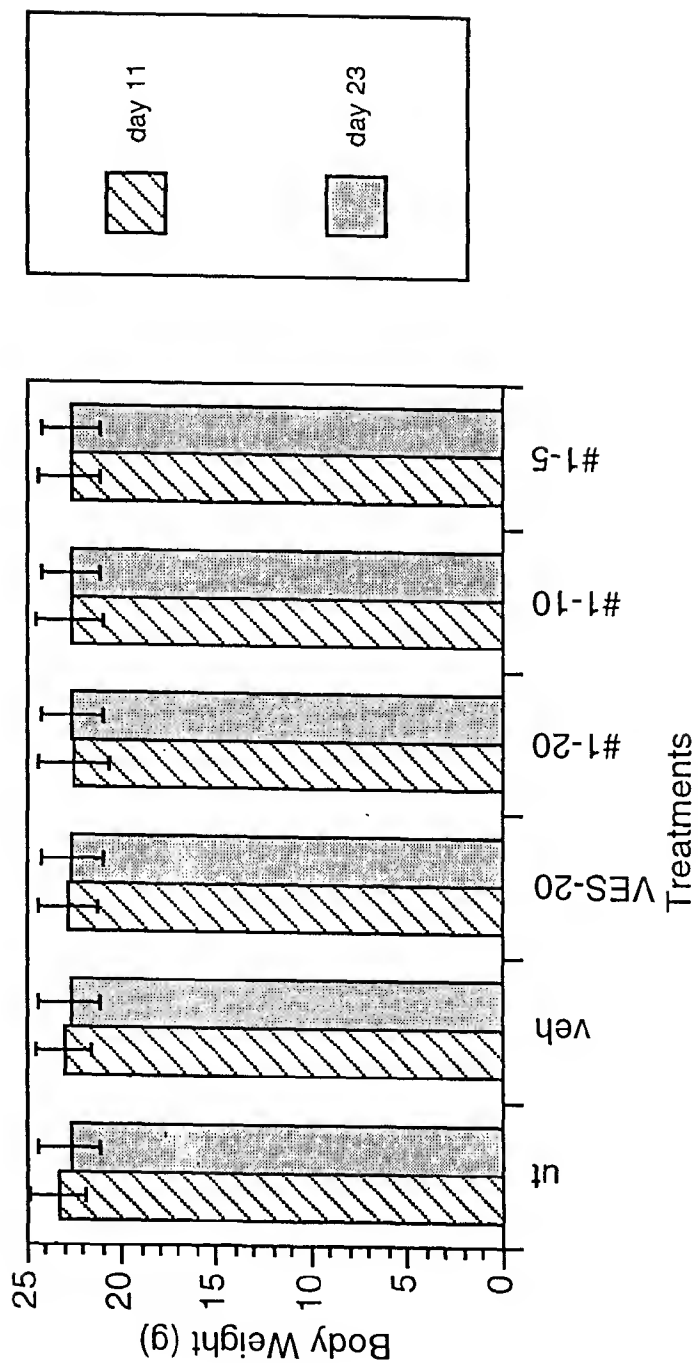


Fig. 7D



Mean body weights of mice \pm S.D. with an $n=5$
 ut = untreated; veh = vehicle control; VES-20 = ester succinated vitamin E at 20
 mg/day; #1 = compound #1 at 20, 10, and 5 mg/day.

FIG. 8

MDA MB-435 Human Breast Cancer Cells

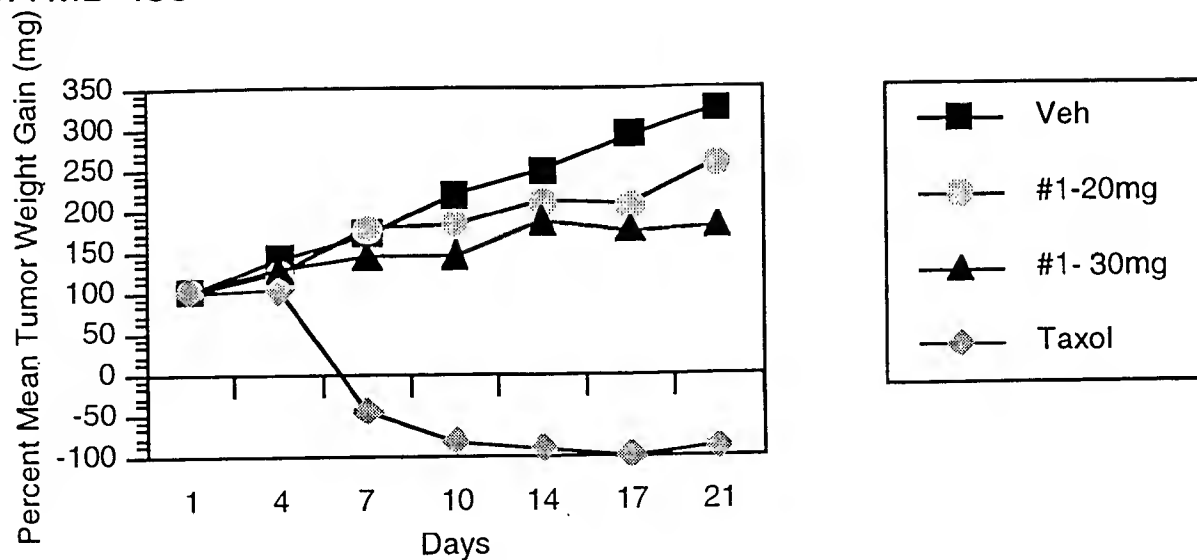


FIG. 9A

DU-145 Human Prostrate Cancer Cells

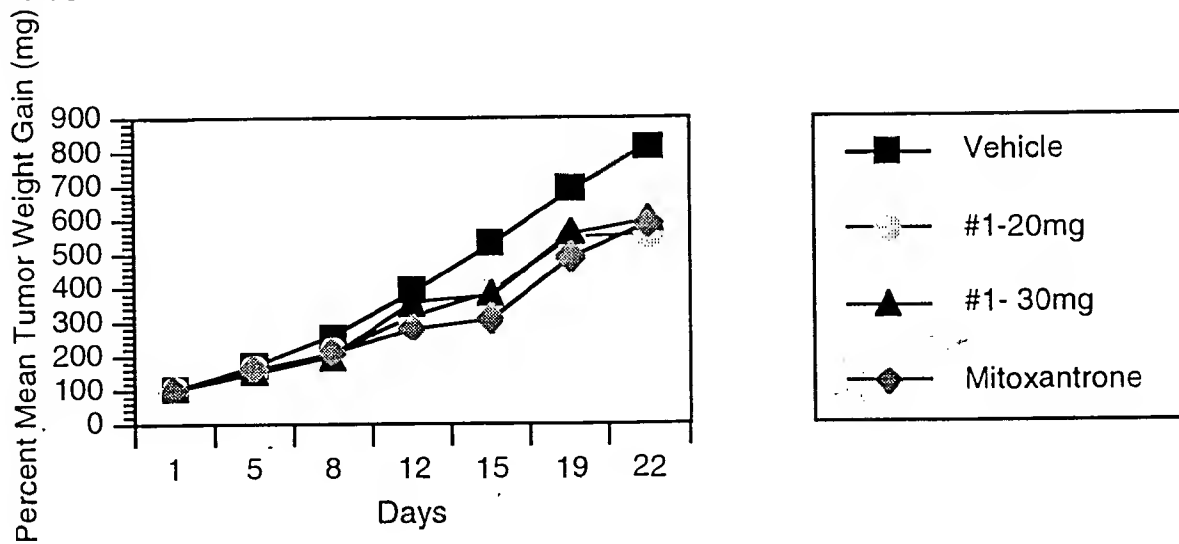


FIG. 9B

HT-29 Human Colon Cancer Cells

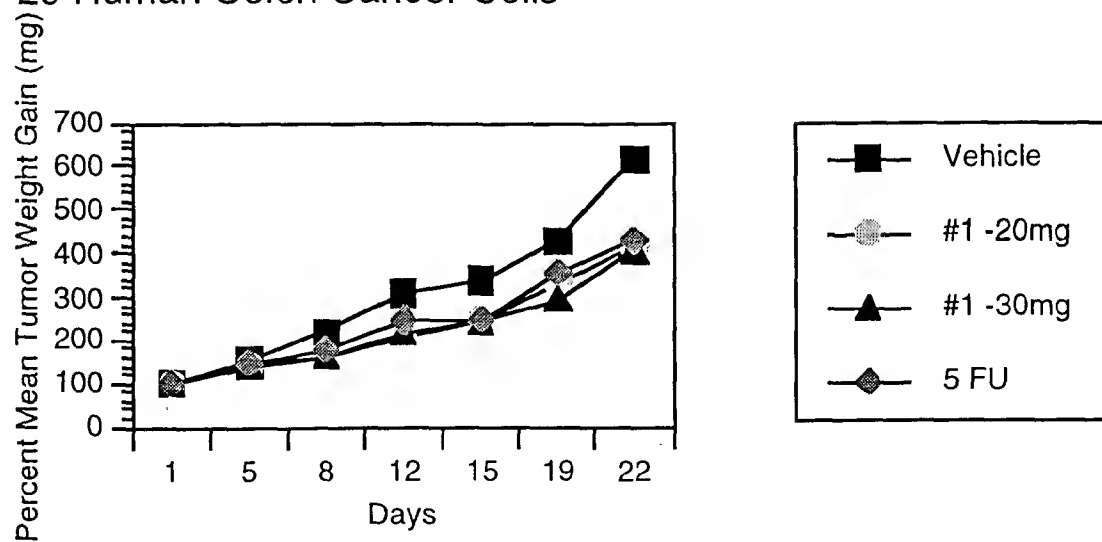


FIG. 9C